

**UPDATE ON COVID:** Currently, the CDC is recommending that ALL people (including vaccinated people) wear masks while indoors in public settings to minimize the spread of the Delta variant of COVID if they are in a county with a substantial or a high rate of infection. (Bucks County is currently in the substantial category). The Eastern Pennsylvania Conference of the United Methodist Church is strongly recommending that churches follow the recommendation of the CDC.

Please know that I will be wearing a mask while I am inside the church building while our county is in the substantial category EXCEPT for while I am leading worship from the chancel area (where a good deal of social distance can be kept).

**Please use wisdom and discretion in deciding whether attending worship in-person is right for you at this time!**

For those who choose not to enter our building at this time, we still offer our online worship (recorded at our live indoor service each Sunday and available for view after that service through our website [www.newtownumc.com](http://www.newtownumc.com)). We also offer a livestream of that service which can be accessed each Sunday at 9:30 AM which can be accessed through our website!

**LIVE SUNDAY WORSHIP** at 9:30 AM in the church's sanctuary.

**LIVESTREAM SUNDAY WORSHIP (from the 9:30 AM service)** will begin at 9:30 AM. Anyone wishing to view a livestream of our 9:30 AM indoor service should go to the link posted on the home page of our website (<https://www.newtownumc.com>). Following the 9:30 AM service a recording of the livestream will also be posted on our home page with a link to a copy of the bulletin for that service.

**VIRTUAL SUNDAY WORSHIP** will be on the NUMC website ([www.newtownumc.com](http://www.newtownumc.com)) and Facebook page.

We celebrate the faithfulness of God during the pandemic and at all times!

Blessings,

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